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MAIL STOP: AF In re Patent Application of Group Art Unit: 2812 Joon-seop Kwak et al. Examiner: SAVITRI MULPURI Application No.: 10/673,251

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SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME

## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action dated September 3, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-captioned matter. The claims 1-4, 6, 9-27 and 31-35 are currently pending.

The Office Action maintains the rejection of claims 1-4, 6, 9-27 and 31-35 under 35 U.S.C. §103 as allegedly being unpatentable over the Kawai patent (U.S. Patent No. 6,468,902) in combination with the *Nunoue* patent (U.S. Patent No. 5,905,275). This rejection is respectfully traversed.

Below, Applicants respectfully point out that the references have been described as somewhat inaccurate terms and, even assuming the combination of the Kawai and Nunoue patents could be combined, the hypothetical result would not